

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಪಿ. ರೇವಣಸಿದ್ದಪ್ಪ.—ಹಿಂದೆ ಇದ್ದಂತಹ ರಾಜಮಹಾರಜರುಗಳು ತಮ್ಮ ನಂಕೋಪ ದಿಂದ ದೇವದಾಸಿಗಳಿಗಾಗಿ ಇನಾಂ ಜಮೀನುಗಳನ್ನು ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದರು. ಈಗ ತಮ್ಮ ಕಾಲದಲ್ಲ ಎಷ್ಟು ಜನ ದೇವದಾಸಿಗಳಿಗಾಗಿ ಇಂತಹ ಇನಾಂ ಜಮೀನುಗಳನ್ನು ಕೊಡಲಾಗಿದೆ ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—How does it arise ? It is disallowed.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಜೆ. ದೊಡ್ಡಮೇಟಿ.—ಹಿಂದೆ ಸರಕಾರದವರು ಉತ್ತರ ಕೊಡುವಾಗ ದೇವಸ್ಥಾನಗಳಿಗೆ ಸೇರಿದ ಜಮೀನುಗಳು ಸಾವಿರ ಎಕರೆಗಳಿಗಿಂತ ಮೇಲ್ಪಟ್ಟು ಇಲ್ಲ. ಅದೂ ಕೂಡ ಉತ್ತರ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದ ಕೆಲವು ಕಡೆ ಇರಬಹುದು ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದು ಜ್ಞಾಪಕದಲ್ಲಿದೆಯೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ವಿ. ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ಪ.—ಹಿಂದೆ “ತಾಫೆ ಇನಾಂಗಳು” ಎಂದು ರಾಜರ ಆಸ್ಥಾನದಲ್ಲಿದ್ದ ತಾಫೆ ಮಾಡುವವರಿಗಾಗಿ ಎಂದು ಕೊಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದರು. ಇದು ರಿಲಿಜಸ್ ಅಂಡ್ ಫಾರಿಟಬಲ್ ಎಂಡೋ ಮೆಂಟ್ ಆಕ್ಟ್ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಇರುವುದು ವಿರೋಧವಾಗುತ್ತದೆ. ಇದನ್ನು ತೆಗೆಯಿರಬೇಕು. ಮುಂದೆ ಇಲ್ಲಿ ಅದರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಕಾನೂನು ತರುವಾಗ ಅದನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಹಾಕಲು ಪ್ರಯತ್ನ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇವೆ.

Construction of Tanks in Belgaum Taluk.

* Q.—163. Sri N. O. SAMAJI (Belgaum II).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether they have got any proposal to construct Tank or Bhandhara in each Village of Belgaum Taluk ;

(b) if so, the names of such villages where they are proposed to be constructed and what is the estimate for them ;

(c) if there are no proposals to construct Tanks or Bhandhars the action Government intend to take to provide such facilities for the above village ?

A.—Sri ALUR HANUMANTHAPPA (Deputy Minister for Minor Irrigation).—

(a) No.

(b) Does not arise in view of reply to clause (a).

(c) If feasible sites are available, such sites are being investigated for proposing Tanks or Bhandharas as the case may be.

Sri N. O. SAMAJI.—(Marathi)

Mr. SPEAKER.—The answer is all right. This is printer's devil.

Sri N. O. SAMAJI.—(Marathi)

† Sri B. D. JATTI (Minister for Food).—The Member has already got the information. He asks the details of estimates and financial commitments regarding construction of all these bhandharas and tanks if the Government really intends to take up these constructions. The Government will consider this.

Sri V. S. PATIL.—Is the Government aware the minor Irrigation investigation branch of the Government have investigated the catchment areas in all these villages and have marked out which are feasible and which are not ? Whether Government have got such statistics with them or with the lower staff which could not reach the Government as yet ?

SRI ALUR HANUMANTHAPPA.—Estimates are kept ready for about 7 Tanks and 2 Bhandaras costing about Rs. 22,50,000 to irrigate 3,653 acres. In addition to this proposal, plans and estimates have also been prepared for some other works for which Master plan has been prepared. There are other works under execution.

It is an elaborate statement and if the Hon'ble Chair permits me I will read it.

MR. SPEAKER.—That need not be read. The Member may kindly see the statement in the Secretary's room where a copy of the statement will be kept ready.

SRI V. S. PATIL.—Whether it is a fact that the works in these Taluks especially in the Marathi area are being hampered because of political pressure on the Government?

SRI ALUR HANUMANTHAPPA.—It is incorrect to say like that. We have already taken works to the tune of Rs.16, 57,000. In addition to these works, we have, as I have already narrated, taken 7 big tanks and 2 Bhandaras costing about 22,50,000/-to irrigate about 3,653 acres. Such works which are taken, are in different stages. New tanks costing about 28,14,000 and 6 bhandaras costing about Rs. 4,68,000 are under investigation and plans and estimates have been prepared. It is not correct to say that the Marathi area has been neglected.

SRI V. S. PATIL.—May I know from the Hon'ble Deputy Minister whether it is not a fact that except one or two all the tanks are in Kannada villages, not in Marathi Villages? Is it not so?

SRI ALUR HANUMANTHAPPA.—As and when the works come up we will take up. There is no discrimination as such.

ಶ್ರೀ ಆರ್. ಎಸ್. ಪಾಟೀಲ್.—ಮಾನ್ಯ ಸಚಿವರು ಕೊಟ್ಟ ಅಂಕಿ ಅಂಶಗಳಿಂದ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಶ್ರೀ ಸಾಮಾಜಿಯವರ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರದ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಬಹಳ ಆಸಕ್ತಿ ವಹಿಸಿರುವಂತೆ ಕಾಣುತ್ತದೆ. ಆದರೆ ಬೆಳಗಾಂ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಶೇಷ ಮಳೆಯಾಗುವುದರಿಂದ, ಮಳೆಯಿಲ್ಲದೆ ಇರತಕ್ಕ ನಮ್ಮ ಸ್ಟೇಷಿನ್‌ನ ಏರಿಯಾದಲ್ಲಿ ಆ ಸೌಲಭ್ಯ ಒದಗಿಸಬೇಕೆಂದು ಕೇಳಿಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೇನೆ.

(ಉತ್ತರವಿಲ್ಲ)

SRI V. S. PATIL.—Sir, my friend Sri R. S. Patil stated that there is ample rain in Belgaum, of course it is true in the rainy season. In other seasons we will have no water to drink. We have to store the water for purposes of irrigation. In his Taluka, there is no rain at all. Therefore, where is the necessity of constructing any tank there? May I request the Hon'ble Deputy Minister to see that all these minor irrigation projects are completed early in view of the shortage of food grains which we are facing at present.

SRI ALUR HANUMANTHAPPA.—In the entire Belgaum District, we have taken many works in almost all the Talukas. There is no such discrepancy shown to any part of the District. Nearly Rs. one crore worth of works have been taken up since 2½ years in the entire Belgaum District.

SRI N. O. SAMAJI.—(Marathi)

Sri B. D. JATTI.—The Executive Engineers have been asked to take up new minor irrigation works. But they have been instructed to first complete the incomplete works and take up other works afterwards.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Question Hour is over.

QUESTIONS FOR ANSWERS ON THE DAY

(but not taken up)

Appointment of staff in Belgaum Division.

* Q.—105. Sri B. P. KADAM.—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether the clerical and other staff appointed by the Deputy Commissioner and other Heads of Departments at the District Level in Belgaum Division after 1961 are being replaced by the candidates recruited by the Divisional Level Recruitment Committee ;

(b) whether these candidates at the District levels were selected after a regular interview upon the recommendations from the Employment Exchange ;

(c) if so, how many such candidates were discharged from service in the four districts of Belgaum Division, so far ;

(d) whether it is a fact that average staff recruited as under (a) above, are discharged from service and if so, what is their total number ;

(e) whether the candidates discharged under the above orders had represented to Government praying for their retention in their respective departments ;

(f) if so, the decision taken by the Government in the matter ?

A.—Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA (Chief Minister).—

(a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f). The matter is *sub judice*. Many of the local candidates in Belgaum Division have filed Writ Petitions against the selections made by the Divisional Recruitment Committee, Belgaum and in all these cases, High Court has issued orders not to terminate the services of local candidates.